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FROM: DON KERRICK**SUBJECT: Dayton SITREP #4; November 8, 1995, 1:00am.**

Major news of day was Milosevic and Izetbegovic agreement to meet together Wednesday with U.S. core delegation. Expect up to seven hours of direct contact. Focus on constitutional, election issues and map.

Bosnians have solidified position on Annex 1 - IFOR. While short of outright rejection, Bosnians clearly see current IFOR concept as implying future partition. Will not accept without change. Surprise is length of time it took Bosnians to recognize. Details will be provided in Wes Clark's report to JCS Wednesday. Will surely require PC or other high level review fairly soon.

Map slugfest continues. Painful process with little forward movement. Map proposal being readied for discussion with parties Wednesday afternoon. All sides want map presented to them. Bosnians will present map proposal Wednesday which will surely be overly ambitious.

Arm and Train team arrives Dayton Wednesday afternoon.

Dick Holbrooke (at encouragement of Strobe and Jan Lodel) will provide regular update to Principals and Deputies. Despite daily reports by Jim Pardew and LTG. Wes Clark, OSD apparently felt insufficient information from head of delegation contributed to panic in Pentagon over Eastern Slavonia, etc. Not clear additional report will make issues any easier.

For planning, suggest you and Sandy Vershbow block Sunday afternoon and evening in Dayton for billets and dinner with Presidents and U.S. delegation. Return to Washington early Monday. Dick working State angle. Specifics TBD. Visit will be both timely and important.